(ii) Chief Ministers of all States.

(iii) Chief Ministers of Union Territories having a Legislative Assembly and Administrators of Union Territories not having a Legislative Assembly.

(iv) Six Ministers of Cabinet rank in the Union Council of Ministers to be nominated by the Prime Minister.

The Prime Minister is the Chairman of the Council.

Manipuri, Konkanj and Nepali languages

1038. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there are long-standing de mands for inclusion of Manipuri, Konkani and Nepali languages in the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution; and

(b) if so, by when the Bill for the pur pose is likely to be introduced?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) At this stage, there is no proposal to bring any bill.

Exclusion of Jammu and Kashmir from an advertisement showing map of the country

1039. SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the publication of an Hitachi Advertisement in the 'Times of India" on the 30th December, 1991 in which the entire State of Jammu and Kashmir was missing from the Indian map; and

(b) if so, what action Government have taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The advertisers 'Hitachi' who originally advertised in Times of India' dated 30-12-91 depicting a wrong map of India have already published a correct map of India and have also tendered unqualified apology for the inadvertent error and thls later advertisement appeared in the 'Times of India" dated 28-1-92.

Expenditure on Army and Paramilitary Force in Assam

1040. SHRI BHADRESWAR BURAGOHAIN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state what is the monthly expenditure incurred by the Government of Assam for induction of the Army and Para-military forces for operation Rhino and by whom the expenditure is finally borne?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): According to the information provided by the Government of Assam, expenditure borne by the State on Para-military forces daring Operation Rhino was of the order of Rupees 1.20 crores per month. The State Government did not incur any expenditure on deployment of Army.

पूर्वोत्तर क्षेत्र में शरणार्थियों का आगमन

1041. श्री राम जेठमलानी :
सरदार जगजीत सिंह अरोड़ा :

क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार का ध्यान 12 फरवरी, 1992 के "दी स्टेटसमेन" में "स्टेप्स टू कर्ब रिफ्यूजी इनफ्लक्स" शीर्षक से प्रकाशित समाचार की ओर दिलाया गया है ;

(ख) क्या यह सच है कि पिछले कुछ वर्षों से देश के पूर्वोत्तर क्षेत्र में